

IN THE U.S. PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

In re application of

Jeremy MARSHALL et al.

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Application No. 10/506,472

Group 3767

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MULTI-SPRING SUPPORT FOR NEEDLE SYRINGES

SUBMISSION OF AMENDED APPEAL BRIEF

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Commissioner for Patents
P.O. Box 1450
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February 12, 2009

Sir:

The Notice of January 12, 2009 indicates that the brief filed December 9, 2008 does not map the independent claims on appeal to the specification by page and line number and to the drawings, if any (claim 1), and that the brief has not been signed.

There is submitted herewith an amended appeal brief in which these matters have been corrected.

Specifically, the amended appeal brief maps the only independent claim, claim 1, to the specification by page and line number. As there is only one figure of the drawings, no reference to the drawing figure as such need be given. Notice, however, that the copy of claim 1 that appears on page 3 gives reference

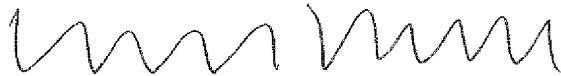
numerals that appear in the drawing, and so it is fully compliant as to this.

Finally, the amended appeal brief is signed.

The Commissioner is hereby authorized in this, concurrent, and future replies, to charge payment or credit any overpayment to Deposit Account No. 25-0120 for any additional fees required under 37 C.F.R. § 1.16 or under 37 C.F.R. § 1.17.

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